

MEMO FOR: MR. REBER

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SUBJECT:

Plans of the Joint Chiefs of Staff for the Exploitation of Captured Documents.

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1. I have discussed this problem with Mr. Carey, the AD/O and [REDACTED] and I believe that this is only one phase of a larger problem that is undergoing current discussion. Mr. Carey has three members of the JIG on the Document Exploitation problem. This group is currently developing a manual of instructions for the exploitation of captured enemy documents which incorporates CIA's requirements in this field.

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2. However, [REDACTED] participated in a discussion with the AD/O, the AD/RR, and the AD/SI regarding the plans of the Joint Chiefs to establish intelligence agencies responsible to the Joint Chiefs for the exploitation of intelligence derived from captured sources to include enemy documents, personnel, and equipment. The Joint Chiefs of Staff had recommended to the Secretary of Defense that three organizations be set up in the ZI to accomplish the three phases of exploitation just outlined. The AD's concerned felt that the interests of CIA were not being properly taken care of under this plan and expressed this sentiment to Mr. Jackson who instructed them to discuss the matter with General Magruder in the office of the Secretary of Defense.

3. It is recommended that action on the attached file be held in abeyance pending the final outcome of the meeting with General Magruder. In event the broad problem is then assigned to COAPS for action; this file will be of material assistance.

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